

DYING, REFUSES TO TELL NAME OF ASSAILANT

"I'll Get Out and Get the Fellow Myself," John O'Brien Says.

AND BREATHE HIS LAST

His Skull Fractured With an Iron Bar in Quarrel Over a Girl.

Two patrolmen stood over a dying man in the Harlem Hospital early today begging him to tell the name of the person who cracked his skull with a heavy iron bar last Thursday night. With death but a few minutes away the determined man refused to divulge the murderer's name.

"I'm all right, boys, don't worry about me. I'll get out of this in a few days, and then I'll go and get the fellow myself. It's only a trivial matter and I'll square accounts in my own little way. I am not go'—"

The speaker lapsed off into unconsciousness. He died with the secret. Now Captain Walsh and his men are scouring the upper East Side in search of evidence against a person whom they seek by the name of "Smoke House" Higgins, who is well known as a brawler in that section.

Found in the Street.

Saturday afternoon the victim, who gave his name as John Maroney or O'Brien, and who is said to have had a room at No. 26 East One Hundred and Ninth street, was removed from a little room at No. 139 Lexington avenue to the Harlem Hospital. His condition was such that Dr. Fisher advised an immediate operation. A fracture of considerable proportions above the right ear showed where O'Brien had been struck.

Dr. Fisher quickly recognized his patient as the man whom he had attended Thursday night shortly after 12 o'clock. A case known as Higgins of the New York Hotel, No. 156 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, brought the hospital ambulance to the spot. O'Brien lay on the street bleeding profusely from the wound. The physician told him that the nature of his injury might mean his death and urged him to consent to be taken to the hospital. He stubbornly declined.

"Just wind a few rolls of that linen about my head and let it go at that," said the victim.

The physician did as the man requested. He reported the man's condition to Patrolman Kennedy, of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station, and Kennedy picked up an iron bar which bore positive evidence that it was the implement which felled O'Brien.

TWO WOMEN RUN DOWN; ONE DEAD, ONE SERIOUSLY HURT

Miss Sarah Adams Hit by a Car; Mary Flynn Was Struck by Wagon.

John Bartels, a motorman on the Columbus avenue line, and Charles Snyder, a driver for a department store, were held by Magistrate Walsh in West Side Police Court today charged with running down women in the street.

Bartels' bond was fixed at \$500 to await the result of injuries to Miss Sarah Adams, of No. 749 Columbus avenue. Snyder remained in the custody of the coroner as the result of the death of a woman believed to be Mary Flynn, of Jersey City, who expired at the Roosevelt Hospital an hour after being hit by his car.

Bartels is the controller of his Columbus avenue car and was unable to stop in time to prevent Miss Adams from being hit as she attempted to cross Columbus avenue at Ninety-sixth street. She was thrown violently into the air and the surgeons at the J. Hood Wright Hospital believe there is a fracture at the base of the skull.

Snyder was driving slowly down the rush hour last night on Tenth avenue. He was not able to control his horse in time to prevent Mrs. Flynn from stepping directly under his horse's feet. A heavy wagon passed over her lower limb. After her death in the hospital the body was taken to the morgue.

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Teach Courtship in the Schools? By All Means, But Get It Up to Date, Says Nixola Greeley-Smith

Illinois State Superintendent's Plan of Using Miles Standish and John Alden as Models Too Antique for Modern Priscillas.

EXPERT WOOERS ARE NEEDED.

In These Strenuous Times They Could Serve as Proxies for Men Who Are Too Busy to Do Their Own Courting.

By Nixola Greeley-Smith.



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"You don't equip your children unless you prepare them for life at as many points as possible. Their parents in most cases don't do it."

This is a good idea. Only I don't see why the old school of courtship should be applied to the conditions of today, so that this courtship should not be taken as a model. Moreover, it was a wooing by proxy. He got John Alden to propose for him, with the result that Priscilla made her famous answer:

"Speak for yourself, John!"

Most Men Clumsy in Courtship.

Ours is an age of specialists and specialities. The John Alden of today should be a professional love maker whose services any timid lover could command for a fee. Some men display so much more aptitude for love making than others and are so much more successful at it that it would be foolish to develop by class teaching in the public schools a whole lot of indifferent love makers rather than a few experts who, upon graduation, could open offices and place their learning at the disposition of all.

A little study by the teacher would soon enable her to discover the promising love makers among her little charges. Any small boy discovered giving an apple or a piece of candy to a little girl could be placed in the observation ward, and if any other symptoms of precocious passion developed could be given special lessons in the art of love making, and such commonplaces as reading, geography and arithmetic be dispensed with.

We need the professional love maker very badly. Most men, it will be admitted, are clumsy in their courtships and the more their feelings are involved the less becomes their skill in expressing them.



THE PROFESSOR OF LOVE MAKING DEMONSTRATES TO A BACKWARD PUPIL.

Suppose Edwin, after careful study of the Manual of Correct Courtship, should find himself on the rug at Angelina's feet and should go up in his lines. How convenient it would be if he could call up the love-making expert on the phone and say:

"Hello, Professor. She just let her lily white hand rest in mine according to rule 4-11-4, section VI. What's the answer? I've forgotten my lines!"

But Modern Methods Should Rule.

To be sure he would have to drop the lily white hand to do so, but no man desiring to have a properly conducted courtship could object to that.

Beyond its suggestion of proxy wooing, the courtship of Miles Standish, however, can teach us nothing. Modern

"Teach courtship in the schools!" is the cry of Francis G. Blair, State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Illinois.

"I have seen this done in country schools. It can be done feasibly and beautifully," he said, in an address in Chicago. "I have seen children as Priscilla, Miles Standish and John Alden going through the courtship without a trace of embarrassment or laughter."

"The teacher asked the children which was the better lover and made them tell her why one was better. That boy will know how to go about it when he wants a girl to marry him. I think he'll get her, too."

Methods are required to meet modern conditions.

We must have classes to teach the right way to propose in an automobile, the correct wooing by wireless and courtship in an airplane.

What did Miles Standish know of these things, or John Alden either? If John had seen any one of these things, he would have dropped Priscilla's hand and probably would be running yet, while Priscilla would have known herself bewitched.

No, the public school class in courtship should be addressed by experts of our own time, and in order that the pupils should not be led into more precocious sentiment than they would naturally develop, lantern slide views of correct wooings might be given, or the teacher could say to the star pupil:

"Demonstrate on the model the various correct styles of the first kiss!"

And Willie could demonstrate it for the edification of the class—the model, of course, being a dummy.

"How to Win a Wife, by a Man Who Has Won Six," would be a fitting topic for the graduating class in love making. And in the most advanced colleges in love there might even be post graduate lectures on "How to Lose Her."

A Boon to the Man Who Is Too Busy to Get Married.

I once had an idea that human beings loved naturally—and that some divine instinct brought fond phrases and caresses to their lips whenever the occasion for them was developed. But the Illinois Superintendent probably knows better than I do, and I respectfully submit his idea on teaching love making in the public schools to City Superintendent Maxwell.

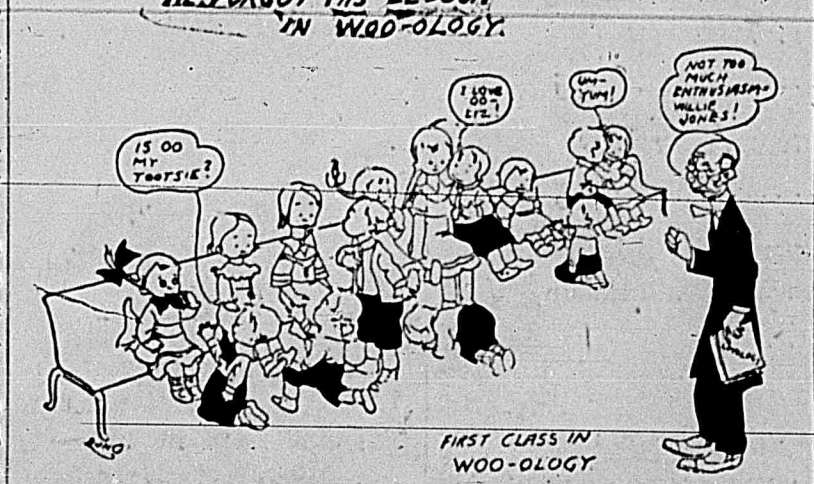
The professional love maker would enable the man who says he is "too busy to get married" to find a wife. If he saw a girl at the Horse Show or the opera, or even in a crowded street car, that caught his fancy, he need only ascertain her name, and calling up the love-making expert next morning when he reached his office say something like this:

"Say, Professor, Miss So and So, of such a number street, has made a hit with me. Get right after her and court her for me. I'll give you three weeks, \$500 and all expenses paid, to pull off the job. Arrange the wedding for any old time, provided you give me twenty-four hours' notice; and order my outfit in advance. Good-by!"

That would be a really modern courtship, and the sooner a love specialist after the Chicago recipe is developed the better.

REAR-ADMIRAL SNOW RETIRED.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Rear-Admiral A. S. Snow was retired yesterday by operation of the age limit. He is a native of Maine and graduated from the Naval Academy in 1865. He has been succeeded in command of the Boston Navy Yard by Capt. William Smith.



What Three Prominent Keteesses Think of School for Love Making

MISS VIRGINIA HARNED: How perfectly absurd! What man or woman needs to be taught the art of love making? Does not love itself teach what to say when the right time comes?

MISS JULIA MARLOWE: I cannot imagine any one learning anything from a course in wooing. Love is a matter of impulse, not a matter of set phrases. It would take all the beauty out of love to attempt to teach it.

MISS MARY MANNERING: What fun! Think of a school for love making! No man or woman, or even very young boys and girls, ever had to be taught to make love. It is born in them. I'm very sure I never was taught.

LOOT, FIVE PAIR OF DAINTY SILK HOSE

Cop's Vision of Rich Capture Fades Away in the Station House.

Patrolman Mahoney, of the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station, spotted two dark-skinned youths walking swiftly up Seventh avenue from One Hundred and Thirtieth street early this morning. They discovered the bluecoat and broke away in opposite directions.

Mahoney pursued one into a hall at No. 181 Seventh avenue. The fellow threw off his coat and dropped his bundle behind a radiator. When Mahoney arrived he was busy polishing the radiator.

"Mornin', boss, you're round mighty early," he said.

"See any one come in here?" snapped the policeman.

"Nope; done worked heah all night, boss."

Mahoney took the fellow by the sleeve and told him to show him through the building. In the cellar-way the negro tried to break away. A well-directed blow and his desire to get off disappeared.

Mahoney then took him upstairs and asked him where he had thrown his bundle. He fished it out from behind the radiator. Then he brought forth the package. It was neatly done up. Mahoney shot down the stairs and brought his man to the station-house.

His visions of recovering jewels of great value were rudely jarred when the sergeant emptied five pairs of long silk hose out on the desk.

Mahoney left the house mumbled and said a woman's silk-stocking detective.

KING'S DOCTOR SEES CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN.

British Premier Likely to Go Abroad for Health and Drop Out of Public Life.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Sir Thomas Barlow, physician to King Edward's household, made a lengthy examination of the Premier, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, at his Downing street residence today, and an official announcement was subsequently issued to the effect that the patient's condition was satisfactory, but that in view of the approaching session of Parliament it is necessary that he should have a few weeks' complete change and rest. The Premier, therefore, is going abroad almost immediately.

He has not been the same man since his wife died last year, and his recent acute attack of heart trouble at Bristol was a signal that his political activities had been overtaxing his strength. It will be a surprise to his friends of the Premier, who is seventy-one years old, if much of his Parliamentary work during the coming session is delegated to his colleagues in the Cabinet, and the rumors of his possible retirement next year from the leadership of the Liberal party are revived, as in view of his onerous duties the House of Lords is not thought likely that he would accept a peerage and continue in the leadership amid the less strenuous surroundings prevailing in the hereditary House of Lords.

GIRL TERRORIST SEEKS DEATH NEAR PALACE OF CZAR

Confesses She Was Deputed to Carry Out Plot, but Her Courage Failed.

THEN SHE TOOK POISON

Band Tried to Wreck Train on Which the Emperor Rode Only Ten Days Ago.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 19.—A well-dressed girl about eighteen years old was found in a dying condition today at the station of the Tarskoe-Selo Railroad. She confessed to having been selected to execute an important Terroristic act, but her courage failed and she took poison. She has not been identified.

Emperor Nicholas left Peterhof for Tarskoe-Selo Nov. 9, and it is believed will pass the winter at the latter place, fifteen miles from St. Petersburg. What was believed to have been a carefully conceived plot to assassinate the Emperor was frustrated by the vigilance of the railway guards while the Imperial party was on its way to Tarskoe-Selo.

Early in the morning of Nov. 9 a guard discovered six men trying to cut the wire of a semaphore signal at Ligovo station, at the junction of the railroads to Peterhof and Tarskoe-Selo.

The guard made an attempt to arrest the men, but was fired on and wounded. The shots aroused the guards at the railroad station, and a number of shots were exchanged between the soldiers and the supposed Terrorists, but the latter escaped. It was generally believed that the Terrorists intended to prevent the use of the Ligovo semaphore with the object of bringing the Imperial train to a stop at that point, which it passed a few hours later.

The attempted suicide of the girl found today so near the Imperial Palace is probably evidence of a new plot against the Czar. The girl may have been delegated to either attempt to enter the palace or carry out some other mission, the ultimate end being the death of Emperor Nicholas.

CZAR'S TROOPS GUARD TAFT FROM POSSIBLE PLOT.

VLADIVOSTOK, Nov. 19.—War Secretary Taft and party left Vladivostok at 2 o'clock this afternoon for St. Petersburg. He was escorted to the train by a large party of naval and military officers, and rigid precautions for his safety were taken by order of the Government.

CASSIDY'S LAUNCH BURNS.

The Ravenswood, a handsome sixty-foot launch, owned by ex-Borough President Joseph Cassidy, of Queens, was burned last night off College Point, where she was lying at anchor. The boat cost \$3,500.

HAT BLEW OFF IN "L" CAR, SO HE STOPPED TRAIN

Serbrisky Paid \$2.50 for Headgear, But it Caused Him to Give \$500 Bond.

Henry Serbrisky's Hat Had a Theoretical Value of \$500, because of precedence in which he figured as defendant in Yorkville Police Court today. In other words, Henry's hat was directly responsible for his being forced to send out and get somebody to sign a bail bond for \$500 in order to secure his release from jail.

Henry is seventeen years old and a clerk. His home is at No. 80 East Ninety-eighth street. During the rush hour last night he became a human sandine and with others similarly transformed encumbered the platform of a car of a northbound Third avenue train leaving the Eighteenth street station.

The train had proceeded about a block when Serbrisky's new derby blew off and dropped between the cars. Serbrisky made a grab for the hat and almost put a shop girl's eye out.

"Stop the train," commanded Serbrisky, addressing Philip Wineman, the guard.

"What for?" asked Wineman.

"So I can rescue my hat," said Serbrisky. "I paid two-diddy for that hat."

Wineman just laughed. He couldn't help it. Serbrisky promptly forced his way inside the car and pulled the emergency stop cord. The brakes on the train were promptly set and the cars stopped so suddenly that all the standing passengers would have been thrown from their feet if there had been any room for them to fall.

Wineman grabbed hold of Serbrisky and Serbrisky hit him on the nose. At the Twenty-third street station Serbrisky was placed under arrest, and today he was arraigned in the police court, where Magistrate Butts held him in \$500 bail for trial on a charge of assault.

FRIGHT KILLED WOMAN AS STOVE IN HOME BLEW UP

Gasoline Explosion Caused Fatal Shock and Set Fire to Dwelling.

GLEN COVE, L. I., Nov. 19.—Mrs. Katherine Sullivan, proprietor of a saloon, was frightened to death today by the explosion of a gasoline stove in her home. The house was set on fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

Heart disease resulting from the shock was given as the cause of death by the coroner.



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JEREMIAH EVARTS TRACY A BANKRUPT.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Jeremiah Evaris Tracy, formerly a member of Evaris, Chase & Sherman, law firm, and later head of Evaris, Tracy & Sherman, but now retired, and Judge Holt has named Herbert H. Evans as receiver. The bond was but \$1,000. It was declared today.

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Two prizes will be awarded to each contestant so long as the contest continues.

Every one who enters this contest agrees to be bound by the decision of the judges, and to accept the award of a prize without objection to any one who has won the prize. We will not be bound to all as we will discontinue this contest at any time.

Answers must be in our office at the address given below before 6 P. M. Tuesday, Nov. 26, 1907.

First Award—Two lots to the one sending the most correct answers.

Second Award—One lot to each of the next ten correct answers.

Third Award—A \$40 Certificate of Credit to each of the ten (10) next nearest.

Fourth Award—A \$20 Certificate of Credit to each of the ten (10) next nearest.

Fifth Award—A \$10 Certificate of Credit to each of the ten (10) next nearest.

We have a large number of lots for sale. June 10 to A. P. Houghtaling, 715 Wall Street, New York City.

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